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REMARKS

Applicant has amended this application in response to the office action. With the Specification amendment, the drawing objection should be overcome. The claims have been amended to make clear that the compression chambers pass refrigerant from at least two compression chambers through a discharge plate in separate discharge ports. The baffle plate maintains the refrigerant from the two compression chambers separate downstream of the discharge ports and the discharge plate. The Dennedy structure 27, 28 does not meet this limitation, and does not maintain any separation between the two discharge ports. The Ito patent does not have two discharge ports, and does not include a baffle plate, which can meet the claims.

New claim 10 recites the compressor pump unit is a screw compressor. Dennedy and Ito disclose a reciprocating compressor and a screw compressor, respectively. They cannot meet new claim 10.

For the reasons set forth above, all claims are allowable. An indication of such is requested. Applicant believes that no additional fees are necessary, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,



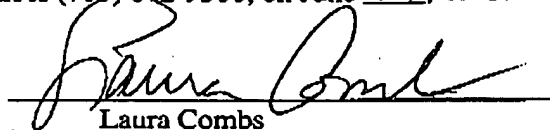
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